THE EVENING TIMES

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blanket, and 1,600 people are now wish-

It required approximately nine thoufor Mr. Bryan's blooded heifer.

They are making war in Vienna on the American shoe. Apparently they have found out where it pinches.

Mr. Vanderbilt is now realizing that sympathy is not just the same as success when it comes to horse shows.

The market is said to be overstocked

Notwithstanding the fact that Boston is a Democratic city, the Republicans of that municipality have taken Hart and hope to win.

The President's message is certain to be dramatized, but it is not yet known which Congressmen and Senators will play the heavy roles.

There is a ghost in Woodcliffe, New Jersey, that opens out like a telesc This is the kind of ghost which theatrical companies would like to see walk.

People talk about our unparalleled national prosperity, but if Congress passes the Nicaragua Canal bill Uncle Sam will have to go to ditching.

The authorities of the Census Office are trying to arrange their filtration plant so that all the filtered people will be satisfied; but their job is not en-Mr. Croker is at great pains to ex-

plain that he did not play golf on Sunday. As far as the country is concerned he can play golf, and talk it, too, all day Sunday if he wants to. Coupled with the statement that Mr.

Mansfield has corrected a "super" with the toe of his boot, the statement that he is not going to play Herod this season is somewhat of a relief.

A firm of discretionary brokers has just vanished from New-York, together with a good many dollars of other people's money. This seems to be one of the cases in which discretion is the better part of speculation.

Inspectors seized several cartloads of watered milk in Paterson, New Jersey, the other day and tipped it out in the road. There is comfort in the fact that nobody could use Potomac water for that nurpose without turning the milk

The Noon Edition of The Times.

The noon edition of The Times is not an extra. It is a regular edition of the afternoon newspaper, and its price is Dumbarton Club will be given on Thanksone cent. its object is to keep its giving eve—November 27 instead of Noone cent. Its object is to keep its readers in touch with what is going on in the world, and not compel them to wait twelve hours. It will print all the news that can be gathered after the morning papers go to partment of the Philippines to that of to press up to the time it is issued. It will be purely a newspaper, standing been serving in Luzon under General on its own merits, and the public should pay only the regular price for it,

It is about time that steps should be taken to suppress "mashers" in this city. They are the evilest things that walk the streets. Their number has multiplied enormously of late years. They have become so bold that no wo man walking alone is sure of escaping McKinley, brother to the late President. their insults. They wear good clothes; Mr. McKinley arrived in Washington they have an outward appearance of Tuesday night and left yesterday evening. deceny, and they presume on this to This is the first visit he has ma speak to any woman who attracts of his brother.

These despicable "mashers" are to be always seen in certain places. They Darr, who spent the summer months at have driven ladies from Smithsonian their country home near Laurel, Md., Park, Things have come to a pass when have returned to the city and taken up a gentlewoman unattended will not go there because she knows that these fellows are likely to annoy her.

ton and the suave L'Enfant planned this city, they intended that the Mall, old friends as they called it, should be a counterby the way, is a corruption of Route du Roi-the King's Way. In part their plan has been carried out. The Smithsonian Park is a sort of Rotten Row.

It is a disgrace to the city that loafers should drive ladies out of this park. It is a shameful state of affairs that a woman may not stroll through the Mall or around the Monument without fear of being molested

There is not anything bad enough for these mashers. Arrest and a fine is too feeble a punishment. They should be clubbed into behaving themselves.

When the daughters of Washington cannot go forth to enjoy the sunshine and the beauty of the city and be as safe from insult as in their own homes, it is time for drastic measures.

As the nation's capital Washington greatest ambition was to do practical work for the good of his country, that

Every citizen of the United States has, as his birthright, a bond of asso- should be affirmed authoritatively at the ciation with Washington. Through his outset of a Presidential career whose adrepresentatives he sits for a great part vent was due to an unforeseen stroke of of the year in her noble Capitol. Through his representative he lives in ing that the Isthmian Caral Treaty is of her historic White House. If, then, a a character justifying Mr. Hay's descripnational subs ription be called for, its tion of the spirit which forms the policy fittest resting place is Washington.

Washington makes no provincia? claim, no alien claim upon the pockets declaration of American foreign policy of the people of Maine and California. accords so completely in principle with Alone of the cities of the United States British policy that it might have been are we connected with every remotest spoken by an English Secretary of State. village in the country. The eyes of village in the country. The eyes of The paper proceeds to argue that the eighty millions of people are constantly abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty turned to Washington.

Here, then, should be placed what- ington ought to offer a reasonable equivaever of memorial the people of the lent for the British rights it seeks to ac-United States desire to raise to the men they are united in honoring. That memorial should be practical as representative of gratitude for practical good done the nation.

The influence for good of our great dead lives after them. Their lives are an object lesson, and their tombs a new in a public official, and as a fashion new in a public official, and as a fashion

President Roosevelt has tucked 1,600 youth of the nation are taught to look to the tomb of the great Napoleon for inspiration. That tomb rests under the dome of the Hotel des Invalides, in the West."

"Weil, I should say so. There isn't a man in Idaho but wants to be a Senator. That's what makes life worth living in the West." ore, offices under the civil service to the tomb of the great Napoleon for centre of the nation's capital. We, too, should have a great national God's acre, a great national sermon in stone, sissippi, who is being most pron

mand the initiation of the project. The decision rests with the people, with turkey. There is certainly no ex- will carry down to posterity something haps the best German scholar cuse for anybody's failing to give of the good we have derived from the House. He is also strong in the classics. men of our own generation? The reply rests with the people.

PERSONAL NOTES ABOUT WASHINGTON PEOPLE.

Miss Kean, sister of Senator Kean, will give a dance in honor of Miss Alice Roosevelt on January 6.

Mrs. and Miss Tyler, of New York, are house guests of President and Mrs.

General Sawtelle, U. S. A., with his wife and daughter, has returned from abroad and opened their house on N

appointed an attache of the Swiss Lega-tion. Mr. Pioda, the Minister, from Switz-erland, entertained a company of gentle-men last night at the Metropolitan Club.

lumbus W. Thompson were married last night at 8 o'clock at Epiphany Chapel southwest. Rev. W. J. D. Thomas performed the ceremony in the presence of a small company of relatives and friends. A reception was held afterward at the home of the bride's mother, 438 Eleventh

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore have least ed the house of Mrs. D. P. Morgan on Scott Circle, but they will not occupy it until after Christmas.

Mr. Wauters, counselor of the Belgian Legation, entertained at a small lunch eon yesterday at the New Willard. The Belgian Minister, Baron Moncheus will go to New York tomorrow to meet Colonel Thys, of the Congo Free State, who will arrive Saturday on the Cam-pania. Colonel Thys is a Belgian.

Miss Sands gave a small informal tea at her studio, on Seventeenth Street, yes-

Mrs. Ridgley, wife of the Comptroller

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Paterson left vesterday for a fortnight's visit to Phil-

The first reception and dance of the vember 30, as originally planned.

Lieut. Col. Charles Morton, Eighth Cavalry, is in Washington on a thirty-day leave of absence en route from the De

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Mr. Sulloway arrived here last night.

Washington since attending the funera

Afterney Charles W. Darr and Mrs their residence at 915 Thirteenth Street northwest.

The Misses Alice and Kate Matthews When the gallant General Washing- have returned from Chicago, where they were the recipients of much social atten tion from a wide circle of relative

> Mr. and Mrs. Whittemore, who are no at the Arlington, will leave Monday to attend the marriage of the latter's son, Mr Dwight Wilcox, to Miss Lawson, which take place next Wednesday in Cin-

Mr. John McAtee has returned from his

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Allen have given up their house near Thomas Circle and will pend the winter with the former nother, Mrs. F. A. Allen, on M Street.

LONDON PRAISE FOR MR. HAY.

English Journals Commend His Chamber of Commerce Speech.

LONDON, Nov. 21.-The "Pall Mall Ga zette," commenting today on Mr. Hay's speech at the New York Chamber of Commerce banquet, declares that his language was in the highest degree satisfactory and reassuring, especially his reference to the foreign policy of President Roosevelt has the right to demand the national For, to the people of the United States, monument to the late President. As a who are inevitably destined to be the first memorial to a practical man, whose industrial community of the world, as also to the English people, peace and the "open door" are indispensable conditi memorial should take some practical of national prosperity. The "Pall Mall Gazette" adds:

"It is well that this fundamental fact public misfortune. We rejoice in believof the United States."

The "Globe" maintains that Mr. Hav' was a matter of business, in which Wash-

The promises of New York's Mave source of inspiration. In France the we hope it may be generally adopted.

OUR NATIONAL LEGISLATORS

Senator Henry Heitfeld of Idaho, big and bluff and genial, likes Washington. He has spent more of his time in this city since his election than probably any other public man. Prepared for a continuous Stay here during the long session of Con-gress, the Senator was asked whether or not there is any opposition to his re-elec-

"Opposition?" drawled the Senator

Representative J. S. Williams of Mis The time has come, in the days of our mentioned for the minority leadership of national mourning, when the people de- the House, is a thin man, intensely nervsomewhat careless in his dress and speaks The decision rests with the people, not with Congress, not with a memorial committee. The work done by our dead statesmen, generals, and law-makers was done unselfishly, not counting the cost of the labor. Shall we hesitate to subscribe the cost of a memorial which will carry down to posterity something

Senator Bailey of Texas, who has shifted the scene of his endeavors from the south to the north wing of the big white building on the hill, has forsaken the black slouch headgear in which he was wont to deck himself and has taken on the modern bell-top silk chapeau. No longer will the tall, muscular expounder of onstitutional law be seen in the Texas style. It hasn't been so very long ago when the Texan delivered himself most forcibly on the question of top hats, and if he will turn back into the channels of General Sawtelle, U. S. A., with his wife and daughter, has returned from abroad and opened their house on N Street.

M. Strochlin, of Geneva, has lately been appointed an attache of the Swiss Legation. Mr. Pioda, the Minister from Switzerland, entertained a company of gentlemen last night at the Metropolitan Club.

Miss Mary F. Shaughnessy and Mr. Columbus W. Thompson were married last ago, will take his seat in the Senate when Congress convenes. his memory he will probably remember Congress convenes.

> the improvements. Twisting his sandy moustache nervously, Mr. Loudenslager surveyed the raised seats in the House

of Representatives with a critical eye.

"We're getting more theatrical than ever," he remarked as he saw the three-foot elevation of the rear seats. "It looks something like the days when we attended country circuses and had to go up a ladder to reach the top scats. But as new members may occupy them, it will be that much less of the dizzy height for

"Just wait until 'Uncle Joe' Cannon gets the bill for those mahogany walls and desks and tables in the Committee on Appropriations," said Representative Swanson of Virginia. 'Uncle Joe' likes nice things, but he does object to seeing the Government's money spent. I'm afraid he will be constrained to say things when he sees these elaborate furnish-

ngs." Representative Swanson, after a cam-Representative Swanson, after a campaign in the Old Dominion, is back prepared to do a hard session's work. He has gained somewhat in flesh, but cannot be said to be stout. He is as earnest an advocate of free trade as ever, and hopes the tariff will be modified at this

By long odds the tallest man in the House of Representatives is Cyrus A. Sulloway, who represents the First Congressional district of New Hampshire. Mr. Sulloway is fully seven feet in height, The other mebers look like pigmies beside him. As chairman of the Committee on Capt. E. P. Brewer, Seventh Cavalry, is at the Army and Navy Club spending a leave of absence. He is attached to the Department of Cuba. Major E. K. Webster, Twenty-seventh Infantry, is at the same club while awaiting orders from the War Department.

As Charlman of the Committee on Invalid Pensions, Mr. Sulloway will have charge of the bill that will be introduced at the opening of Congress to give Mrs. McKinley \$5,000 pension, the same amount Congress granted Mrs. Garneld, Mrs. Logan, and Mrs. Grant. It is thought that Representative Grosvenor of Ohio will introduce the bill.

He is opposed to any general tariff

The Reason Why.

(New York Times.)
We will tell the "London Spectator" what it has omitted to tell its "Old Subscriber," namely, the true reasons why England will never concede to the Cape Colony the independence which it probably world grant to the Dominion of Canada, were such a boon demanded by a majority of the Ottawa House of Commons. In the first place, England could not, if she would, compet the allegiance of the Canadians against their will, because the Canadians could rely upon securing the sympathy and support of the limited States. In the second place, the retention of British North America is, from a strategic point of view, a matter of the Cape Colony, which is indispensable to the Cape Colony, which is indispensable to the Cape and an all-around she was born. Her nationality has always been at the mercy of her managers, who was tentangle to have her born wherever the morn in feet on the top of it and hung himself up in the air for a few minutes her on two weeks' leave. He will probably visit relatives in the South Carolina, an employe at the Department of the Interior, is absent on two weeks' leave. He will probably visit relatives in the South Carolina, an employe at the Department of the Interior, is absent on two weeks' leave. He will probably visit relatives in the South of the was tranning to the box office.

Years ago, when she was a very young girl, and was starting her career in London tried to himself and the deliberation of the London of the Cape Colony, which is major is considered by many to be one to the box office.

Your of Enquiry. In it are inscribed the names of the name with the very treaty of the terior, is absent on two weeks' leave. He will probably visit relatives in the South terior, is absent on two weeks' leave. He will probably visit relatives in the South to the will probably visit relatives in the solone of the Cine thin the office of the Jung department of the Interior, is absent on two weeks' leave. He will probably visit relatives in the South Carolina, an employed at the Department route to India. Bagland may lose at any hour her control of the Suez Canal; it is, therefore, for her of vital moment to keep control of the alternative route around the Cape of Good Hope.

That is the fundamental reason why Inat is the fundamental reason why England feit that she could not permit the establishment in South Africa of independent Boer republics, which, under certain circumstances, might easily obtain control of the Cape Colony. It would have een more consistent with the "Si or's" reputation for candor if this truth

Reform in Zanesville. (Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.) Ohio, Nov. ames L. Holden now says that Zanes-ille, which for the last seven months has en the most notoriously "wide open" city in Ohio, will, for the remaining seventeen months of his term, constitute an ideal for good government leagues. His wide-open policy received a check when the grand jury indicted many saloonkeepers for violating the Sunday closing law and exhibiting slct machines. Mayo Holden has notified the salconke close their places on Sunday, and has in-structed the police officers to take the names of all who fail to comply. When assumed office several months ago Holden announced that he did not believe the people wanted a Puritanical adminis-tration, and that he would take no steps to eradicate vice or stop the illegal sale of liquor. Several clashes with the co courts and open condemnation of his perience a change of opinio.

The Busy Russian Press Censor.

(Scranton Truth.) The Russian press censor is busy even in times of peace. A Finland newspaper a short time since appeared with the famous motto, "Liberty, Equality, Fraternity," on the first page and the center property out. its first page, and the censor promptly cut it out, as he did also the word "union" from the sentence, "Organ of the Swedish Workers' Union." Liberty of the press is scarce in Russia, but this fact does not scarce in Russia, but this fact does not contribute much to the happinesss of the Empire.

ON THE SKIRMISH LINE.

What the Mule Said.

Is you hyeard o' dis Horse show dey talk Hit mus' be mo'n I done fin' out; Fu' de silks dey rustle an de diamond

shine, le clawhammer coat waltz down En de But I ain' see no circus show

To 'count fer dis fuss in de Quality Row. What's dat you say? Oh, Lord, go 'way! Ain' hyeard no such lie dis many a day! Nor, suh! Nor, suh! Don' you tell me Dat de hosses bol' a cakewalk fer folks to

Does I wanter git in? Shoo, honey, go I knows des whar ter sing my song

In de big ploved fiel', wid de sun good en high, En de buzzard wheelin' in de big blue sky. I wuks my ears or I wuks my heels, I's free ter act des de way I feels.

Oh, de co'b hit yaller en ripe en sweet, En de medder grass good fer tiard feet, Nor, suh! Nor, suh! No show fer me! De mule hol' his cakewalk whar nobody

girl in a cooing voice. "Ur-r-well, I can hardly say, but-"Oh, I have heard all about you, and I should be so proud if you would come to my chaing-dish party tomorrow night—"
"Oh, now, really, Miss Lulu, that is awfully kind of you, but I am afraid I have an engagement. Yes, I am sure I have."

"I thought you said that Woodby Starr made a hit in that new play of his?"
"He did. He hit the railroad track, about the middle of the ties."

"I vas told you all talk ze same lan guage in zis country," said the perplexed foreigner.

"We do," returned the inhabitant.

"Zen vat is dis—b-r-r confusion of tongues zat I hear?"

"Oh, that's all right. You see, those two men over there in the corner are taiking golf, and that man is from Georgia and his friend from Kentucky, and over here these people have an obvious New England accent, and the newsboy is Irish and the motorman German, and as for me, I talk just plain United States."

"Mon Dieu! vat a country!"

week's programme will be headed by the Ten-Ichi troupe of seven Japanese magicians, who will make their first appearance in this country here. Then there will be the Gainsborough Octette and numerous other attractive vaudeville acts.

"Lost River," Joseph Arthur's most recent drama will next week occupy the stage of the Academy. The company will be headed by Paul Gilmore, at one time

"I thought you said you thought so nuch of Bob: that he was a man in a

bands. A man in a million isn't anything so very uncommon, is he? There are nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine other men in it, too."

"Don't you think that dancing is the potry of motion?"
"Maybe, but nobody has any business to meddle with either unless he knows what to do with his feet."

The Horse Who Asserted Himself.

There was once a horse who had great leas about Progress. He was a young horse, and perhaps that was the reason why he not only loved these ideas, but insisted on carrying them out. Fe thought that horses should assert thems: lves, and stand up for their rights, and not allow makind to run over them.

When it was pointed out that in this world everything either runs or is run, and that Man would never allow a horse to run him, he replied that that was Man's affair. He tried his new ideas nce or twice, but was soothed by once or twice, but was soothed by the butt end of a whip until he felt that the time was not quite ripe. The idea that he himself was not, never occurred to him. When the Automobile came to town the young horse saw his opportu-

is carrying out in a practical way all my ideas about equality and social domoracy. It refuses to obey man, or to work unless it teels like so doing. The time has come for all horses to be as automobiles, knowing good and evil; and the only good in the only goo

Mother. "It is all very well to assert yourself, but that kind of assertion is

and did all of the things which he had

"I am going to haul home that automo-bile which lies exhausted by the road-side. This is where the oid-fashioned.

"I was not old-fashioned enough," replied the Colt, meekly. Moral: If you are a horse, be a horse

and not a donkey. Train up a child in the way ae should not go, and when he is old he may pos-

Every little while some man comes to grief because he monkeyed with the law little too long and didn't know

BULLET ENDS HIS TROUBLES.

Dealer in Baltimore. BALTIMORE, Nov. 21.-Despondency caused by poor health is said to have been the cause of John T. Owen's suicide. Mr. dealer, shot himself through the head at his residence, 1431 Park Avenue, just be-fore 7 o'clock last night. Death followed n a few minutes.

Mr. Owen went to his office yesterday

came home later in the day and went to his bedroom on the third floor. A few moments later his son, Jchn, fifteen years old, heard the report of a pistol. Running upstairs, he found his father sitting in a rocking chair holding a .32-calibre revolver in his right hand, while the blood poured down his cheek from a bullet hole in the side of his head. Dr.

Eugene Van Ness was called, but Mr.

or the first time in four m

Owen was dead before the physician arfived,
The revolver contained one empty cartridge and four loaded ones. Two of the latter had missed fire. Mr. Owen had been suffering from Bright's di of his friends said last night that during the last three days he had acted strangely, as if his mind were affected. His talk was rambling and incoherent. It is

President and King.

(Rochester Herald.)

President Roosevelt showed his good sense in refusing to buy a pair of horses whose tails were docked in the barbarous manner, affected by secretarial to the part of th manner affected by society folk. But Mr.
Rooseveit's example counts for nothing.
Until King Edward shall evince a similar repugnance society will continue its barbarous custom.

His wife was Miss Lucy Boggs, who died nearly fifteen pars ago. Those who survive him are his brother, Griffith Owen, and two children, Master John and Miss barous custom.

THE PLAYER FOLK.

Bertha Galland will be the National Theatre's attraction next week, with matinees Thanksgiving Day and Saturday. Miss Galland will present "The Forest Lovers," a stage version of Maurice Hewlitt's novel of the same name, with which she inaugurated her starring venture at the Lyceum Theatre, New York, last month. The production of "The Forest Lovers" is on a scale of unusual magnificence, while the company that assists Miss Galland in the performance contains many capable play-ers. The new star herself has been given a good deal of favorable mention for her onscientious work in the principal role.

At the Columbia next week "Miss Bob White" will be presented by an organization that includes such well-known names as Ethel Jackson, Richard Carroll, Frank Deshon, and others prominent in light for participation in active campaigning, opera. "Miss Bob White" was originally given at the Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia by Nixon & Zimmerman last the latest officers to request orders for the latest officers to request orders for spring, and the theatregoing people of the Quaker City flocked to see the piece in such large numbers that the music of Willard Spencer was sung for over 100 "You are a very brave man, are you times before the warm weather into, captain?" asked the pretty, young necessary to end the engagement. times before the warm weather made it

> The Lafayette Stock company will revive "Pudd'nhead Wilson" next week, with Mr. Whittlesey, John T. Sullivan, Fred. Sullivan, Francis Powers, Charles Wyngate, Myron Leffingwell, Lillian Law-rence, Antoinette Walker, and the other members of Mr. Bellew's organization in roles that are expected to prove conge

Manager Chase will next week return to straight vaudeville, a form of entertainment his pairons evidently care more for than the musical comedies he has been presenting for the past month. Next week's programme will be headed by the

a star, and last year a prominent member of Henrietta Crosman's support in "Mistress Nell." There are many sensational features in "Lost River" that should make it popular with the Academy's following. The usual Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday matinees will be given.

The Bijou's bill of vaudeville next week will be headed by Mr. and Mrs. Robbins, two very capable players, who will present their newest sketch, "The Morning After." There will be half a dozen other vaudeville "turns," and the big Bijou Stock Company will be seen in a burletta specially devised by Dave Lewis and Bert Leslie, the principal comedians of the

Burlesquers" will commence at Kernan's man of middle age, clear-cut features, Monday afternoon, with a matinee each and has the typical lawyer's expression day. This year's company is said to be superior in many respects to its predeces-

John C. Fisher, one of the owners of "Florodora," witnessed last night's per- urv formance at the Columbia Theatre. Mr.

ime has come for all horses to be as automobiles, knowing good and evil; and he only good in this world is not having to work."

"You had better take care," said his "I saw the performance at New Orleans "I saw the performance at New Orleans are and the audience was Mother. "It is all very well to assert yourself, but that kind of assertion is sometimes disproved."

But the young horse pranced gayly out on the highway, and proceeded to act like an automobile. He began at the beginning.

"I saw the performance at New Orleans two nights ago, and the audience was precisely the same as here. In New York, there does not seem to be any abatement in the interest in 'Florodora,' and we will be in the metropolis indefinitely."

and did all of the things which he had noticed the automobile Joing.

First he tried to climb a tree, but the branches did not seem to be the right shape. Then he attempted a ferce, which was better, but when he caught his front she was born. Her nationality has always was better, but when he caught his front she was born. Her nationality has always af her managers who

But when the bills made their app once she looked at them aghast. There in glaring type she read of herself; "First appearance in England of the

Washington. It was the first time she had ever heard of herself as an American or as Miss Grant Washington. The manager knew

As a matter of fact she was born in Denmark, and Alexandra Dagmar is her real name, and that she has no desire to be accredited with any other name or any other race. She has been on the boards ever since she was a mite of a girl, and she has had a wide experience in drama

pantomime, concert and vaudeville. HEARD TALK OF REVOLT. Traveler From Yukon Ascribes It to

"Sonpy" Smith's Old Gang.
VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 21.-That there to overthrow the Canadian rule in the Yukon is affirmed by C. D. Newton, a

member of the Atlin Board of Trade, who arrived here today. Speaking of the conspiracy alleged to have been hatched at Skagway, he said he had heard of it before leaving the North. but did not give serious attention to it. There are still a number of the old

"Soapy" Smith gang in Skagway, and they have some sympathizers, but it is by no means considered that they are the dominant element there. It was this element which was at the bottom of the flag incidents at Skagway, and it is these pe who are endeavoring to hatch a spiracy to overthrow Canadian rule. It is absurd, however, to think that they would have anything like a following, for should they ever attempt to rise in rebellion, Mr. Newton believes that the good American residents in the North would be among the first to suppress

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Repairs have been authorized on the monitor Terror at League Island. The Ajax has arrived at Malta. The Wilmington his duties less than has sailed from Hankow for Nanking, D. Gaillard. and the Leyden from Newport to New

Every Day Stories of the Workings and Workers of the Departments.

Civil Service Commissioner Rodenberg is absent from the city on a brief visit to his home in Illinois. While away he will deliver at Trenton and Nashville, two Illinois towns, his lecture on "Beneath Ha-waiian Palms and Stars." The proceeds of the lecture will be given to the hospital and library funds of the respective towns. Those who have heard the lecture speak of it in high praise. It is full of poetry and sentiment.

The desire for service in the field, whenever an opportunity seems to exist che latest omeers to request orders for service in the archipelago is Capt. James G. Harbord, of the Eleventh Cavairy, who has been on duty in this city in the office of the Secretary of War.

In accordance with his own request, Captain Harbord has been detached, by

direction of Secretary Root, and will leave here in time to join the Third Squadren of his regiment in New York city, to take passage thence to the Phil-

A man who very seldom finds time for noonday luncheon is Col. Cecil Clay, Chief Clerk of the Department of Justice. Colonel Clay arrives at the department shortly before 9, and very seldom leaves his desk until after 4 o'clock. At any time of the day can be found a huge pile of official papers scattered over the colo nei's desk. Colonel Clay is one of the crack shots of the United States, though he has but one arm, having lost the right one while serving in the civil war. His favorite game is moose, and when he levels his rifle to shoot something generally falls.

Senator Matthew Quay was a caller at the Department of Justice yesterday af-

A. Rudolf Boehmer of Dresden, Germany, and William Maucher and Mrs. Maucher and Miss Maucher, of Berlin be headed by Paul Gilmore, at one time a star, and last year a prominent member States. Yesterday afternoon they visited the Treasury and were shown through the basement where the macerator is located. One of the party turned to the guide and, pointing to the big steam pipes, asked whether they were used for the the building and to the various cities.

Thomas Thompson, who had charge of the visitors while they were at the Treasury says he can tell a foreigner as soon as he enters the door. "And then," Mr. Thompson said, "they are so pleasant, much were at the more set they are so pleasant, much were set they are Incompose said, they are so pressant, much more so than American visitors. Yes, most foreign visitors speak English, but as a rule are disappointed with the sights of the Treasury."

L. P. Mitchell, Assistant Comptroller of the Treasury, is considered by many the ablest attorney that ever expounded the The annual engagement of "The Bowery law as enacted by Congress. He is a of countenance. He is a plain, unausuming gentleman, and always ready to ensuperior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in many respects to the superior in many respects to its preserved in the superior in their lunch together at a modest res-taurant in the neighborhood of the Treas-

Captain Brooks. Superintendent of Foreign Mails, is a good story-teller, and very fond of a good yarn himself. has been in the postal service under seventeen Postmaster Generals, and treasures very highly a collection of their photographs. Captain Brooks had occa-sion while in office to study the charac-teristics of every Postmaster General un-der whom he served, and highly interest-

Cantain Brooks is a student of human nature, and says he is very seldom de-ceived in a person. He has traveled abroad considerably, and is fully ac-

Admiral Benham, and Rear Admiral Ram-sey, president and associate members of the Court: Admiral Schley, the applicant; Captain Parker, and Judge Rayner, of counsel for Admiral Schley. The Bible was borrowed from Miss Addle Ellis. A few days before the adjournment of the

Representative John F. Shafroth of great American actress, Miss Grant terday in the interest of one of his con-

Capt. W. Hart Reaves, Assistant Appointment Clerk of the Census Office, has recently passed a most creditable examination for appointment in the remark. pointment Clerk of the Census Office, has wherein money lay.

Later on she came to America and here found herself announced as:
"The great Russian beauty, the favorite actress of the Czar."

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Mr. Reaves served with distinction and efficiency during the Spanish-American conflict. He was formerly private secretary to the Governor of Tennessee, and efficiency during the Spanish-American conflict. He was formerly private secretary to the Governor of Tennessee, and the same suave manner and persuasive qualities that won for him praise in this capacity have brought considerable credit to the Appointment Division of the Corress Office.

Charles S. Sloane, the Census Geographer, was formerly employed in the Geological Survey, and when Henry Gannett was appointed Geographer of the Twelfth Cen- day schools on the Rosebud reservation. sus he immediately asked Director Mer- The inspector was closeted with the Comare plotters at Skagway who would like riam to name Mr. Sloane as his chief assistant. Mr. Sloane has performed his duties with marked facility, and as a re-sult of his indefatigable efforts, the geographical department of the Census is right up to date in its work. It was Mr. Sloane who proceeded against the fraudu-lent census enumerators in Maryland, and was chiefly by reason of the strong case sented that the name-takers were

> Prof. Walter F. Willcox, who until recently was in charge of the Methods and Results Division of the Census, and who is now at his old post at Cornell Univer-sity, was at the Census Department yes-terday. Prof. Willcox still performs a considerable amount of statistical work for the bureau, and is one of its most

The Engineer Department of the District Government is divided into two sections, one of which has charge of the large cotton milis in Alabama surface work and the other the underground work, including the building de-partment. Capt. Chester Harding, of the

the contractors who are building school-

houses and are engaged in other public work. His relations with all of them are most cordial, though he is very insistent upon the interests of the District being subserved in all contracts. Captain Harding has a fine physique, never hurries, and accomplishes a pile of hard work by indeficicable industry. fatigable industry

From elevator boy, at \$6 a week, to clerk in charge of correspondence and the drafting of important papers at \$1,200 per annum, is the record of Louis Wilson of the Secretary's office at the District Building. All this has been accomplish-

Building. All this has seed in four years.

Mr. Wilson entered the District service with a smattering of shorthand and a small knowledge of the typewriter. He seem promoted to messenger, and was soon promoted to messenger, and while engaged in this work revived his knowledge of shorthand and practiced on One day the secretary of Commissioner

One day the secretary of Commissioner Ross failed to put in an appearance and the Commissioner appeared in the secretary's office with the enquiry whether there was anybody who could take dictation long enough to get rid of the morning mail. Mr. Wilson said he could, and he did it so well that he was made clerk and has been rapidly advanced since that time.

During the last two years Mr. Wilson has been a student in the a ternoon class of the Columbia Law School, and stands high among his classmates.

Chief Dutton, of the District Fire Department, is pleased with the conduct of the engine and truck companies at the warehouse fire on Tuesday. He said yesterday that the men showed commendable zeal in their work, and exercised excellent judgment. He is of the opinion that considering the location of the place, sur-

considering the location of the place, surrounded as it was by a number of frame
structures, the fire was the most difficult
to deal with that the Department has had
during his administration.
Chief Lutton was particularly well
pleased with the work of the water tower
and with the new nozzles which were
thoroughly tried for the first time. The
chief says that without them and the
powerful stream which they enable the
engines to throw, the result might have
been more disastrous.

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During the progress of the fire all the During the progress of the fire all the railroad trains were held up for about half an hour. It was necessary finally to dig under the rails, to uncouple the hose and to place them in the trenches thus constructed. Chief Dutton hopes that the company's experience will induce the placing of boxes under the rails at intervals within the fire limits so as to enable the firemen to work without tying up railroad trains.

H. H. Darneille, the District Assessor, yesterday was telling about the District Building a bright remark of his little eight-year-old daughter. It appears that eignt-year-old daugnier. It appears that she is very fond of her father and enjoys a walk with him Sunday afternoons. A few days ago her aunt was talking with the child and some remark was made

about heaven.

"Surely, you want to go to heaven, do you not?" the aunt asked the child with a tremor of seriousness in her voice.

"I would rather go with papa to Dupont Circle," was the child's prompt reply. bout heaven.

Severa: weeks ago John T. Doyle, driver On the same day John T. Doyle, Secretary of the Civil Service Commission, quietly left for New York on a mission of importance. The disappearance of Doyle, the driver, was chronicled in the daily press. Last week both Doyles returned to the city. And since then Mr. Doyle, to the city. And since then Mr. Doyle, the secretary, has received namerous letters asking why he had disappeared without notifying his friends. By some strange circumstance Secretary Doyle has been confounded with Driver Doyle, and the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission rather enjoys the error.

W. A. Marshank, the Assistant Chief Captain sit down and write his views Clerk of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, is a native of the State of Florida, having left a lucrative position in his native heath to come to this city and enter into the Government service. Of medium build, tall and erect, Mr. Marshark is what called an unusually good lacking man.

An ex-army officer, and an all-around will probably visit relatives in the South before the close of his vacation.

He can division of the interior. His office is always open to his friends, of which he has not a few The a member of a number of commissions appointed to draw up treaties. By strict attention to his work Major Larabee advanced from the position of a clerk to the one he now holds, and is today by reason of his strong personality, gradually adding to his small army of friends.

One of the most efficient and popular officials in the Postoffice Department is Charles A. Conrad, chief clerk to the Colorado called at the Census Office yes- Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. Although a young man, Mr. Conrad has been called upon quite frequently to pass

> Among the callers upon William A. Jones, the Indian Commissioner, yesterday, was J. Franklin House, inspector of missioner for some time discussing matters relating to the work of Indian education. Mr. House has under his charge twenty-one schools, with an average at-tendance of about 600 pupils. Most of the first entering anything but perfect scholars, according to Mr. House, who tell

Well known and popular is "Ed" Moore, Assistant Commissioner of Patents. Mr. Moore has traveled quite extensively during his life, having, it is claimed, visited every large city in this country. He is the fortunate possessor of great executive ability, and is one of the most capable officials of the Patent Office. He is a Southerner by birth, his father being the possessor of a number of

A. P. Shaw, Chief of the Public Lands Division is a tall, slender North Care-Engineer Corps, U. S. A., Assistant to the linian, who made a thorough study of law Engineer Commissioner, is in charge of before entering into departmental work herer Commissioner, is in charge of underground work. He entered upon duties last April, succeeding Capt. D. daillard.

before entering into departmental work. Mrs. Shaw, who is a most charming woman, possesses a decided literary bent. Recently Mrs. Shaw published a book of Captain Harding has much dealing with contractors who are building school-